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Tuesday, generally fair, colder.

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FAST THRONG SEES PIUS XI CROWNED POPE

Ancient Custom Carried Out With
Impressive Ceremonies in Ba-
silica of St. Peter's

BLESSES MULTITUDE

Postiff Would Welcome Arrange-
ment Whereby Vatican Could
Rule Spiritually Only

(By The Associated Press)
Rome, Feb. 12. — Pius XI was crowned pope in the basilica of St. Peter's today amid scenes of pomp and enthusiasm and in the presence of the diplomatic representatives of foreign countries, members of the Roman hierarchy and a vast assemblage filling the great structure to the very doors. The ancient custom was carried out in the most impressive manner and the newly-crowned pontiff immediately blessed the multitude of people who gathered in the square before the basilica.

Pius XI again blessed the crowds from the balcony of St. Peter's, this time nearly 200,000 people cheering "long live the pope."

Previous to this, 60,000 gathered within the edifice, rising spontaneously, had cheered the pope as he appeared in the balcony of St. Peter's. The pope placed upon his head the tiara, emblem of supreme sovereignty. The ceremony continued for so long a time that Pius was compelled to make signs with his hands as if seeking silence in order that the ceremony might continue.

Silver bugles of the sixteenth century announced the coronation and the red robes of the aged cardinals, wearing the uniforms of the Swiss guard recalled the middle ages, but the crush of spectators at the heavy bronze gates of a formerly forbidden Vatican revealed that something was changed in Rome.

The first message sent out broadcast over the radio by Pius XI was a declaration of his wish for universal peace and declared that while the Holy See could not abandon any of the church's temporal prerogatives, a satisfactory arrangement whereby the Vatican could rule spiritually only would be welcomed.

Standing upon the throne directly under the canopy of St. Peter's, Michael Angelo's masterpiece, Pius XI, with head adorned with the tiara, bestowed the blessing upon those below in which many prayers and many words were uttered. The Georgian psalms and hymns of joy rendered by the choir were taken up by the people in the balcony in which various accents, Anglo-Saxon, German, French and Scandinavian, were noticeable.

The cortege from the Vatican to the basilica was led by the Monsignor Carlo Respighi, master of ceremonies, followed by the heads of the various Roman colleges and escorted by the Swiss guard. The ceremonial of the pontiff's family wearing the habit of his order, came next; then the servants in their red uniforms. A chaplain orderly wearing a purple cape and escorted by Swiss guards bore the tiara on a velvet cushion. The tiara was carried by the Swiss guards, followed by the Swiss guard.

Pontifical Household in Line
Then in order came ordinary chaplains, carrying the precious mitre; two apostolic couriers in velvet colored uniforms; the Swiss guard, led by Monsignor Naselli-Rocca; the honor guard and participants wearing purple capes; the choir of the pontifical chapel; and the entire pontifical household in multi-colored uniforms, including the "penitentiary" of St. Peter's wearing the chasubles.

The ushers of the "red men," custodians of the papal cross during the ceremony, were next in line, with bishops and prelates from the Orient, archbishops and archbishops attending the pontifical patriarchal cardinals. Cardinal patriarchs, cardinal bishops, and archbishops of the East, and cardinals of the Latin and Greek churches, followed.

"MAD DOG" SCARE
Suffolk, Conn., Feb. 12.—A "mad dog" scare aroused the center of this town this afternoon when a white dog ran through the streets and bit a young woman, a boy and 12 dogs. The animal was shot by Herman Hayes, head constable of the town. The dog was taken to the state laboratory in New Haven tonight. The dog was ordered that the dogs which had bitten be quarantined.

"DRY" AGENT SLAIN
Huntington W. Va., Feb. 12.—William H. H. attached to the staff of prohibition enforcement agents operating in Wayne county, W. Va., was shot from ambush and instantly killed tonight on a road near Dunlow, W. Va., according to information sent to authorities here.

10,000 N. Y. AUTOS STOLEN LAST YEAR

Thefts Increased 42 Per Cent Over
1920, Figures From 56
Cities Reveal

Albany, Feb. 12. — Nearly 10,000 automobiles were stolen in cities of New York state during the past year, according to figures made public today by the New York State Bureau of Motor Vehicle Information. The thefts increased 42 per cent over 1920, the report added. It also was revealed that the police of various cities recovered 56 per cent of the cars stolen in 1921, as against 57 per cent in 1920.

The report, based on figures from the police authorities of 56 municipalities, showed that during 1921, 9,997 automobiles were stolen as compared with 7,005 in 1920. Stolen cars recovered in 1921 numbered 5,651, as compared with 3,998 in 1920.

The number of cars stolen and recovered in 1921 in the different cities were shown in the order named, as follows:
Albany, 234-177; Amsterdam, 35-28; Auburn, 14-10; Batavia, 3-4; Beacon, 5-3; Buffalo, 1,162-860; Binghamton, 37-32; Canandaigua, 5-8; Cortland, 7-5; Chees, 3-3; Corning, 28-26; Dunkirk, 6-8; Elmira, 16-7; Fulton, 3-2; Geneva, 18-18; Gloversville, 20-13; Glens Falls, 11-10; Hornell, 3-2; Ithaca, 10-8; Jamestown, 31-28; Johnstown, 4-9; Kingston, 4-3; Little Falls, 4-3; Lockport, 25-21; Lackawanna, 15-13; Mechanicville, 2-1; Middletown, 2-3; Mount Vernon, 14-8; New York, 6,806-3,258; Niagara Falls, 114-109; Norwich, 3-2; North Tonawanda, 3-2; Newburgh, 10-10; New Rochelle, 29-22; Olean, 8-8; Oneida, 11-10; Oneonta, 3-2; Ogdensburg, 3-3; Oswego, 34-32; Poughkeepsie, 6-4; Pittsburgh, 10-10; Port Jervis, 1-1; Rochester, 529-393; Rome, 4-2; Rensselaer, 1-3; Schenectady, 77-54; Saratoga, 16-13; Syracuse, 323-229; Salamanca, 7-6; Tonawanda, 4-4; Utica, 92-74; Watervliet, 8-3; Watertown, 18-15; White Plains, 31-23; Yonkers, 95-57.

A bulletin accompanying the report declared that a questionnaire was sent various cities throughout the country to learn the effectiveness of ordinances regulating and licensing second hand automobile dealers and proprietors of places where automobiles are stored. Replies from 12 cities were made public, all of them asserting that such ordinances helped in the apprehension of automobile thieves and in the recovery of stolen cars.

Two of the replies were from New York state cities, Syracuse and Buffalo. The Syracuse reply said:
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DUBLIN CROWDS HAIL DE VALERA

Magnitude and Enthusiastic Character of Sunday Demonstration
Surprise Political Observers

ERIN "INDIVISIBLE"

Republican "President" Accorded
Great Reception as He
Condemns London Treaty

(By The Associated Press)
Dublin, Feb. 12. — The magnitude and generally enthusiastic character of the republican demonstration held this afternoon was a surprise to observers of the political situation. Eamon DeValera was the principal speaker.

The demonstration had prevailed that DeValera's uncompromising Republicanism was confined mainly to Cork and Kerry, but it seemed evident from the applause accorded him that the Dublin crowds still regard him with their old fervor.

Observers of the situation, after having made allowances for the weather, as an inducement to the people to turn out, declared that everyone must recognize the demonstration as being significant.

DeValera Wildly Greeted.
Mr. DeValera was accorded a great reception. He spoke from the principal platform at the Farnell statue. Count Plunkett, who presided, introduced Mr. DeValera as "president of the republic." Six resolutions were proposed during the meeting, outlining the attitude of the Republicans.

The resolutions affirmed that the Irish nation was one and indivisible; that all state authority in Ireland is derived solely from the Irish people; that the British crown is an alien crowd, and that Ireland is no part of the British empire.

The resolutions further declared that the articles of the London agreement failed to represent the true desires of the Irish people; that the treaty obtained under duress and that the Dail Eireann is not competent to give legal sanction, and therefore, it is null and void. They added that to force upon Ireland an election involving recognition of partition until the Dail Eireann has expressed its sanction, is unconstitutional. An additional resolution called upon the people to support for the dependents of prisoners.

Mr. DeValera said it was a lie that the Irish people would by a majority accept the treaty. He added that although the meeting had been advertised for only three days, thousands of persons had assembled in support of the republic. He declared that the London agreement was not a treaty but an instrument in which every line denied Irish sovereignty. It was signed under duress and was no more binding than the infamous act of union.

Republic for a Monarchy?
Mr. DeValera said the articles of agreement bound the Irish people to exchange their republic for a monarchy. He asked if the people wanted as their monarch "King George of England," to which there were replies of "No, no." The king would be embodied in the Irish constitution, which would really be the authority of Premier Lloyd George and his cabinet. The foreign monarch's forces could build the principal forts and have air facilities, and when Great Britain was at war, which was inevitable, the British government could take over the harbor, and Ireland would be made a belligerent, liable to attack by Great Britain's enemy.

Ireland, the speaker continued, was to be added with tributes to the British war pensions, and an undetermined share in Great Britain's national debt. Ireland was to be broken up into two warring states, in order that England, which was supposed to be evacuating the country, might have the six northern counties to use.

The alternative policy, Mr. DeValera declared, was the policy of the last four years, the policy which the

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ROCHESTER DANCE HALLS BAN "EXTREME" JAZZ AIRS

Rochester, Feb. 12. — At a conference of dance hall proprietors with Public Safety Commissioner Harbison, Police Chief Quigley and Policewoman McElroy this afternoon, it was decided to bar from dance halls of the city the "cooty," "cheek-to-cheek" and "sleeping beauty" dances. The ban also was pronounced on "extreme" jazz music.

CHURCH IN UPROAR

More Ministers Than Show People
in Jail, Theatre Man Tells
Congregation

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For three and a half hours, the rhetorical battle raged hot as tides of enthusiasm rolled back and forth among the congregation, which hung with approval on the words of its spiritual leader and again rose to its feet to shout approval of the theatrical man's defense of his profession.

Throwing to the winds considerations of the day, the place and most of the rules of parliamentary procedure—though the discussion had been announced in advance as formal debate, with William H. Anderson, state superintendent of the Anti-Saloon League, as chairman and judge—the speakers successively shouted their convictions from the pulpit. They interrupted each other at the pinnacles of oratorical heights and were interrupted and momentarily silenced by scores of their hearers who again and again leaped into the fray.

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Here the congregation rose to its feet, the shouts of its members indicating divided convictions. Both speakers divided for quiet. When he could make himself heard again, Mr. Brady pleaded for "a square deal for the stage."

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SHOWMAN AND PASTOR CLASH

William A. Brady Defends Stage
Against Attacks of Dr.
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Another resolution adopted at the meeting endorsed the national defense act provisions, which it was declared, virtually leveled the past distinctions between the National Guard and the United States army.

LITTLE PROGRESS IN MOVIE MURDER

Taylor's Former Secretary-Butler
Still the Man Most Anx-
iously Sought

Los Angeles, Feb. 12. — The investigation of the slaying of William Harrison Taylor, motion picture director, proceeded today with what chiefs of the inquiry described as "a breaking-up of remote possibilities." Detectives of the police department and district attorneys' and sheriff's offices were dispatched upon likely suspects and most of them reported before midnight that they had reached the same plank wall encountered in previous investigations.

Thomas Lee Woolwine, district attorney, said he felt that little progress had been made.

"We have several lines of investigation upon which a check will be made, probably tonight, but it is impossible to state whether they are vital to the case," the district attorney said.

Both the district attorney and Captain David L. Adams, head of the detective bureau, said the man they were most anxious to locate was Edward F. Sandy, former secretary-butler of Taylor, who has been missing since last August. Captain Adams said he thought there could be no doubt now that Sandy "is hiding for some good reason of his own."

Sandy, a 30-year-old actor, who has previously served the once was engaged to marry Taylor, discussed today, in an interview with the Los Angeles Examiner, the checks which she said "Mr. Taylor gave me from time to time."

"During our engagement," she said, "Mr. Taylor gave me an automobile as a Christmas present; that is, it was understood between Mr. Taylor and myself as a holiday present.

"The machine was not all paid for at one time, and in order to prevent gossip from interfering with the spirit in which the gift was made, Mr. Taylor simply made out checks for me so I could pay for the car in my own name.

"Numerous other checks were for distributing charity to the poor in my behalf.

"The last check—for \$500—given me shortly before his death, can be accounted for very simply. Mr. Taylor was always looking after my career and doing all he could to help me progress in the film world. He knew I was temporarily in financial straits at that time and voluntarily sent me \$500."

Miss Gachery cashed the last check three weeks before Taylor was murdered, it was said.

TEMPTATIONS TOO
MUCH FOR CASHIER

Easy to Appropriate Funds, With
No Other Employees in Bank,
Repentant Prisoner Asserts

Syracuse, Feb. 12. — Robert C. Conroy, former cashier of the Citizens' National bank at Hammond, St. Lawrence county, whose alleged shortage of \$80,000 necessitated closing the bank's doors, talked freely today in the jail at Canton and expressed the hope for a chance "to wipe this stain from my character."

"The temptations that beset the cashier of a small town bank are greater than in any other position, or anyone else realizes," Conroy said. "The small town cashier's salary is small—mine was \$2,500 a year. He must maintain a social position. The directors and officials leave everything to the cashier. In many cases they know little or nothing of banking, there are no other employees, except usually a girl to watch the cashier, and it is easy for him to embezzle. During all the time I have been in the Hammond bank I have never had a vacation."

"My initial error," Conroy said, "that step which led me to my present predicament, was made in 1915 and 1916, when I began playing the stock market on a margin account. I was at that time playing with my own money only."

Later speculations, he added, "with brokerage houses which since have failed."

LACK OF EMPLOYMENT IS
BLAMED FOR WAYWARDNESS

Herford, Feb. 12. — Lack of employment and not the lure of beautiful things is the cause of the downfall of most of the women arriving at the state reformatory for women.

SIGNALMEN'S OVERTIME PAY CUT BY BOARD

Ten-Hour Day at Usual Hourly
Wage, and Time and a Half for
Sunday Work Provided

Chicago, Feb. 12. — Re-establishment of a ten-hour day at the usual hourly wage, and elimination of time and one-half pay for regularly assigned work on Sundays and holidays, are provided by new rules governing railway signalmen announced tonight by the United States Railroad Labor board to replace on February 16 the national agreement made under federal control.

The board's rules affect more than 12,000 rail workers. According to figures based on interstate commerce commission statistics, the annual labor bill of the railroads will be cut about \$300,000 by eliminating the overtime pay provisions of the national agreement.

While the new set of rules retains the principle of the eight-hour day, the door is opened for a ten-hour day.

Overtime pay is likewise eliminated for employees paid a monthly salary by a new formula for determining the monthly rate, based on the standard hourly rate. Other minor provisions which will affect the signalmen are substitution of straight time pay for lunch periods when not taken, for the former time and one-half rule; provision for a minimum of three hours straight time instead of two hours at time and one-half for working less than four hours on Sunday, and complete elimination of the old rule allowing half pay from 10 o'clock at night to 6 a. m. for men traveling on boarding cars.

Other rules were changed to eliminate any fixed hour for starting work and any specified lunch period. The time limit for investigations into discharges, decisions and appeals was extended from seven to ten days.

Rules to replace the government railroad administration working agreement covering train dispatchers, firemen and others, and express employees, will be acted on and promulgated within a short time. This will complete the board's work of revising the rules covering all classes of railroad employees.

ALLIANCE WITH MINERS PREDICTED.
Indianapolis, Feb. 12. — That some form of alliance between the union coal miners and railroad workers of the country will be formed by officers of the various unions at their Chicago conference February 21, was predicted here tonight by E. F. Grable of Detroit, president of the United Brotherhood of Maintenance of Way Employees and Railway Shop Laborers.

With other officers of his union, Mr. Grable arrived here today for a conference tomorrow with President John L. Lewis of the United Mine Workers of America, the leader in proposing the alliance as a "defensive movement" against wage reductions. Mr. Grable said he personally favored an alliance and added that other rail union chiefs with whom he said he had talked were of similar opinion. He declined to say with whom he had conferred on the proposed alliance.

INDIAN LEADER GIVES UP
Gandhi Temporarily Abandons Policy
of Carrying Out Program of Civil
Disobedience in India.

Bombay, India, Feb. 12.—Mohandas K. Gandhi, leader of the non-cooperationists, has temporarily abandoned his previously announced policy of carrying out a program of civil disobedience.

A dispatch from London on Saturday asserted that Gandhi had decided to postpone the civil disobedience movement for a fortnight on account of the recent trouble at Chauri, in which 17 native policemen were killed.

London, Feb. 12. — A dispatch to the Daily Telegraph from Calcutta says a rumor that Mohandas K. Gandhi has been arrested is persistent but that it has not been confirmed. The dispatch adds that the reported arrest is the sole topic of discussion in the bazaars but singularly there is little criticism.

NEW ENGLAND COTTON MILL
WORKERS TO STRIKE TODAY

Boston, Feb. 12. — Organized operatives in cotton mills employing about 21,000 hands in New Hampshire and Massachusetts, will go on strike tomorrow in protest against a wage reduction of 20 per cent. Officials of the textile unions, with which the local are affiliated, assert that the mills are well organized. Approximately 8,000 operatives in Rhode Island textile plants have been on strike for the last three weeks in protest against wage cuts.

Reductions, effective tomorrow, in the case of New Hampshire mills are accompanied by restoration of the 54-hour week, will cut the wages of nearly 6,000 operatives in the four northern New England states.

Lincoln Spirit Lives on In Legion, Says MacNider

BY HANFORD MACNIDER
National Commander, the American
Legion.

Indianapolis, Feb. 12.—Abraham Lincoln typifies to every American the rugged honesty and high integrity we like to associate with our ideals for our country and its institutions.

The men and women of the American Legion, offering as they do, voluntarily, insurance to the nation for the preservation of its lawful government, have no other ambition than to serve as useful constructive citizens, thus to be guided by principles and precepts of the man we honor today.

Lincoln's moral fabric of this republic to counteract those forces that weaken and destroy. He felt the proper care and consideration for the veterans who fought the battles for America's defense one of the most important and constructive forces to that end.

The American Legion has for its principal reason for being that American way of life we fought that it might stay—American.



HANFORD MACNIDER

Otsego County News

AT MILFORD CENTER.

Eldred Lamb Escapes Injury When Thrown From Milk Wagon.

Milford Center, Feb. 12.—On Wednesday morning, when Eldred Lamb was delivering milk at the station at Portlandville, his horse became frightened at a D. & H. engine at the depot and started to run. The tongue of the wagon broke and with the help of the condition of the road the wagon caught on a lumber wagon standing beside the road, throwing Mr. Lamb a distance of about 15 feet. The horse near C. VanDeusen's residence, breaking both front legs of the one horse. Fortunately, Mr. Lamb escaped with only a few bruises.

An Enjoyable Evening.

The Ladies' Aid supper held at M. E. Arnold's was well attended, and the proceeds were \$10. A fine supper was served and the evening spent with games and music.

Personal Briefs.

Mr. and Mrs. A. S. Lull were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Isaac Heuser at East End. — Mrs. Lizzie M. Squire is visiting friends and relatives in Delaware county. — Stanley Smith of

South Gilboa and Stewart Smith of Oneonta are spending a few days with their parents. — Claude Garlick was a business caller in Cooperstown Thursday.

Neighbors' Night.

Neighbors' night for this month will be celebrated February 24 at the church. A supper will be served at 6 o'clock.

Home Bureau to Meet.

The Home Bureau will meet with Mrs. Clark W. Morris, Tuesday, February 21, at 2 p. m. Roll call to be answered with your favorite quotation. Demonstration of fancy stitching by local members.

WEST LAURENS.

West Laurens, Feb. 12.—The Women's Sewing circle will meet with Mrs. Willis Carter, Wednesday, February 15, for dinner. Everybody invited. — Mrs. Russell Cornell is convalescing from a severe attack of the grip. — Mrs. Frank Gardner of Oneonta, who has been spending the past two weeks at Fred Dyer's, returned to her home Thursday night. — Miss Susan Bard of Davis Switch was a week-end guest of the Misses Lulu and Gladys Lull.

Delaware County News

PROMINENT STAMFORD MEN

ERSKINE L. SEELEY AND AVERY C. VAN DYKE CLAIMED BY DEATH.

Both Took Active Part in Community Affairs, Being Recognized as Leaders in Civic and Religious Life of the Village.—Mr. Seeley Will Be Laid to Rest Tuesday Afternoon and Mr. Van Dyke Wednesday Morning.

Stamford, Feb. 12.—After a comparatively brief illness, Erskine L. Seeley passed away at his home at 2 o'clock. Long identified with the business interests of Stamford, Mr. Seeley had passed over half a century in one continuous mercantile occupation, conducting a boot and shoe store. At the time of his retirement a few years ago, he was the dean of Stamford business men. Honest and upright in all his dealings, he held the respect and confidence of all his friends.

Mr. Seeley was a constant supporter of all moves for the betterment of the community and its institutions, and when he took issue on any subject his attitude was backed by reason and strong convictions. Devoted to his business, he spent little time away from it, and his recreation was mainly in outdoor sports. He was an active member of the gun club and subsequently of the reorganized fish and game club. He was an ardent sportsman and his great delight was to spend a day in the woods and fields with dog and gun or to follow the stream with rod and line. Music was a passion with him and he was a most liberal supporter of all musical organizations that have been formed in Stamford. He was one of the oldest directors of the National Bank of Stamford, having been elected when the bank was chartered in 1894.

A man of fine character, strong determination and a keen perception of the rights of others he won many close friends and attained an enviable position as one of the pillars of community life. He was a member of the

Stamford M. E. church, uniting under the pastorate of Rev. William E. Mickle. Mr. Seeley was born in Harpersfield in 1845 and in 1865 married Emily Buck, who died in 1901. His daughter, Mrs. Bertha Harloff and her son Carleton, survive him. The funeral services will be held at his late home Tuesday afternoon at 2 o'clock with interment in Stamford cemetery.

Avery C. Van Dyke.

Avery C. Van Dyke, a well known and much respected resident of Stamford, was called to rest this (Sunday) morning, leaving behind him a record of rectitude, integrity and industry that is seldom equaled. His death occurred at his home on Harper street from bronchial pneumonia with heart complications. The funeral will be held Wednesday morning from the Presbyterian church. His pastor, Rev. Mr. Willets, will officiate, and interment will be in the Stamford cemetery.

Mr. Van Dyke was born in Roxbury nearly 70 years ago and was the son of Patrick and Rosetta Van Dyke. His early life was spent on the home farm with his parents and after his marriage, at the age of 22, to Miss Elizabeth Cronk of Grand Gorge, he moved to Rose's Brook, where he conducted a farm. From there he went to Hunter, where he engaged in the boarding house business. After two successful years at Hunter, he came to Stamford and purchased the property which comprises the Madison and the well known residential section known as Grandhurst Park.

Mr. Van Dyke was a man who could not be idle, and every interest he assumed was energetically pushed to completion. Social in his disposition, he dearly loved to gather with his friends and intimates, but no place was so dear to him as his own home and no attraction drew him so strongly as the affection of his family. Liberal in every way, he was always depended upon to support every deserving charity, the church and municipal affairs. Due to his outstanding Christian character he was selected to be one of the elders of the Presbyterian church, which office he held to the time of his death. While his personal duties occupied his time very closely, he could always find opportunity to aid any project that needed his assistance. For many years he had been one of the directors of the Stamford Water company and his advice and help on that board will be greatly missed. His well-spoken life and his personal influence have left an example that is deeply impressed on all who knew him.

Surviving him are the widow, one daughter, Mrs. Archibald Billings, and two grandchildren.

Pleasant Dinner Party.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur G. Hunno and Dr. and Mrs. Ralph Kipp delightfully entertained about 30 guests at dinner at Westholm Saturday evening. The

affair was in the nature of a Valentine party and the tables were very prettily decorated with smilax and red and white carnations. Following dinner dancing and bridge whist were enjoyed.

CURRENT EVENTS IN HOBART.

Public Meetings and Social Functions in Village and Vicinity.

Hobart, Feb. 12.—Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Puffer entertained a few friends at "Six O'clock Tea" Saturday evening. The Old Book club will meet to reorganize for the year at the home of Miss Loris Bennett Thursday, Feb. 16th, at 3 o'clock p. m.—The Anne T. O'Connor Bible class will meet with Mrs. George Callup, Wednesday afternoon, February fifteenth, at three o'clock.—Mr. and Mrs. Percy Hotchkiss of Watervliet are spending a few days with Mrs. Hotchkiss parents, Mr. and Mrs. Orrin Reed.—Mrs. Frank Crawford who has been seriously ill is much improved. The Hobart nurse, Miss Runna Taylor is caring for her.—Miss Ethel White and Miss Florence Briggs left Friday evening for a pleasure trip to Albany and Schenectady.—Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Ackley returned Friday from a week's pleasure and business trip to New York city and Bridgeport, New Jersey. William Lyon of Syracuse was the week-end guest of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. M. Lyon.—A daughter, Hazel Elizabeth, was born to Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Seamon, Sunday morning, February 12.—Late reports from Mrs. Mary Lichet, who is in the Albany hospital, are encouraging.

"Ye Old Mill Pond Inn." Mrs. Jennie Cronk who conducts a boarding house on River street has named the place "Ye Old Mill Pond Inn." Mrs. Cronk has been very successful in the boarding business and prospects are good for the coming season.

FRANKLIN ACTIVITIES

Meetings This Week and Next in Chief Village of the Outcrop.

Franklin, Feb. 12.—The Union Ladies' Aid will hold a bake sale in Methodist hall on Saturday afternoon, Feb. 25, at 3 o'clock.—Tuesday evening Feb. 14 a regular meeting of Franklin grange.—Remember the grange supper in their hall on Thursday evening, Feb. 16, beginning at 8 o'clock.—Don't fail to be on hand to partake of the splendid dinner the ladies of the Methodist church will serve in Masonic hall St. Valentine's day, Feb. 14.

Personal Matters

Walter Ostrander of Andes and Mrs. Chas. Russell of Meredith were in town this past week to see their mother, Mrs. Chas. Ostrander, who is quite ill. Several of the friends and relatives of Mr. and Mrs. Geo. S. Ostrander made them a surprise on Thursday, Feb. 9, it being the 35th anniversary of their marriage. Vell E. Chamberlain of the Columbia Law school, New York, is spending a few days at the home of his father, Geo. D. Chamberlain.—Mrs. Cora Austin, who has been visiting at Unadilla, has returned to her home.—Mr. and Mrs. Harold Hunt of Walton have been the guests of friends in town.—Mr. and Mrs. Louis Isbell were in Delhi last Tuesday and were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Harold Smith.—Mrs. Maurice Huyck of Windor has been visiting her father, Herbert C. Smith, for a few days.—Don't fail to attend the oyster supper at Grange hall Feb. 16.—The ladies of the D. A. R. held their annual Lincoln's birthday celebration on Friday evening, Feb. 10. Supper was served by the W. C. T. U. in the Methodist hall.

DAILY DOINGS IN DELHI.

Liberal Receipts from Benefit for Mountain Camp, American Legion. Delhi, Feb. 12.—The minstrel show and movie entertainment put on by home talent under the direction of Donald W. Gleason post, American Legion, for the benefit of the Mountain camp for overseas veterans last evening filled the opera house to the doors, many people being able to secure only standing room, and the large crowd surely got their money's worth, for the minstrel part of the program measured up to the usual high standard of entertainments put on by Delhi talent, and the picture, "Mrs. Temple's Telegram," was a comedy that furnished many a good laugh. The receipts of the evening will furnish a goodly sum toward the Mountain camp.

Division Street Property Sold.

The house on Division street owned by Mrs. H. A. Pitcher and which has been occupied by Mrs. Henry Pease and Miss Nellie Rainey, has been purchased by Miss Flora Boyd, who expects to occupy one of the apartments.

Their Twenty-Fifth Anniversary.

The twenty-fifth wedding anniversary of Editor R. P. McIntosh of the Delaware Republican and Mrs. McIntosh was reached on Thursday, February 9th. As this is the busiest day in a printing office, where all days are busy, their friends decided to defer celebration of the event until the next day. On Friday evening friends and neighbors to the number of 30 made Mr. and Mrs. McIntosh a surprise visit at their home, taking them completely unaware but receiving a hearty welcome to the hospitable home, where a delightful evening was spent. The guests served a delicious supper, and presented their host and hostess a handsome rocker upholstered in tapestry. The presentation was made by James E. Harper, who called on several others to speak, and Mr. McIntosh expressed his feelings, expressing the appreciation of himself and wife for this token of the love and esteem of their friends.

TREADWELL TOPICS.

Treadwell, Feb. 12.—Wesley Baldwin of Norwich spent a few days here recently on business. — Andrew Jacobs had the misfortune to fall recently and break two ribs. — A very interesting meeting of the Home bureau was held last Friday, with present, Mrs. Bucknam spoke. The next meeting will be held March 2nd. Miss Nina Stockman entertained Camp Fire girls last Friday evening. — Mr. and Mrs. Tracy Bealington and Mrs. Harry Barlow and daughter, Ruth, were Franklin visitors last Thursday. — The Boy Scouts met with William Munn last Friday evening. — The Epworth league will hold a Valentine social in the church parlors Tuesday evening, February 14. — Alfred Smith's Sunday School class will hold one February 22. It is hoped that all who will, may dress in Washington's time. — Miss Hilma Cooper, who is working in Franklin, spent Sunday at her home here.

LINCOLN AS I KNEW HIM



Thomas Proctor.

Thomas Proctor was an old friend and associate of Abraham Lincoln. After the closing of the Ford theatre, the President was removed to Proctor's room and died in Proctor's bed. Now Proctor is an inmate of the St. Barnabas home. This exclusive statement was made by Proctor in the presence of his chaplain, the Rev. Sydney N. Fisher, and his friend, Governor P. Hance.

BY THOMAS PROCTOR.

Gibsonia, Pa., Feb. 10. — When I was in my early twenties, I met and became a confidential friend of Abraham Lincoln. I was given a position in the War department and the bureau of returns.

I read and studied law under Lincoln's personal direction.

He frequently shared my room, in which there were two beds. Secretly we were in the Ford theatre, and I was in the President's room and died in Proctor's bed. Now Proctor is an inmate of the St. Barnabas home. This exclusive statement was made by Proctor in the presence of his chaplain, the Rev. Sydney N. Fisher, and his friend, Governor P. Hance.

His head was resting on my right arm and elbow when he expired. I have often felt that I inhaled Lincoln's last breath.

James Dezelle, a Civil war veteran, was given a postcard shower his 80th birthday, February 7. — Mrs. Verna McMillen came Tuesday to care for her mother, Mrs. J. E. Goshorn, who is ill with liver trouble. Mrs. J. E. Goshorn is also ill. — Merritt Reed, who is yet in the Marshall hospital, was glad to hear is improving. — The next meeting of the Mission Study class will be held with Miss Nellie Bourne February 21.

MATTERS IN MERIDALE.

Meridale, Feb. 12.—P. A. Dutton, superintendent of the Meridale farm, is in Philadelphia on business. — The school friends of little Amelia Todd are pleased to learn she is slowly improving after so serious an operation. No hope for her recovery was at first entertained, as the appendix had burst. She is at the hospital at Oneonta and Dr. Catter was the surgeon for the operation. — Lemuel Kimball of Oneonta is spending a few weeks with his son and family here.

Gracy W. Strickland is having the interior of his store redecorated. — E. S. Blissee was a business caller in Oneonta Thursday. — Ralph Pierce and family were shoppers in Oneonta Thursday. — Floyd Warren is slowly recovering. — Mrs. Ray Colburn of Franklin visited her parents the first of the week. — Garney Hamlin, who has been assisting T. W. Strickland in inventorying, returned to his home in Davenport Center the first of the week. — James Sinclair, who spent the past month with his niece, Mrs. Harry Archer, in Andes, has returned to his home here.

DAVENPORT CENTER NOTES.

Epworth League Elects Officers — Other Items of Interest.

Davenport Center, Feb. 12.—At the last business meeting of the Epworth league, the following officers were elected for the ensuing year.

President, Miss Blanche L. Burdick; vice-presidents, Mrs. L. D. Goodrich, Mrs. Harold Simmons, Mrs. E. G. Baird and Miss Luena Barnes; secretary, Miss Marjorie Loucks; treasurer, Duane Baird; organist, Miss Blanche Burdick.

Local Notes.

Mr. and Mrs. Harlow Merson and daughter, Maude, of Oneonta, were guests Friday of Mr. and Mrs. James Pease. — Mr. and Mrs. G. E. Simmons spent Thursday in Oneonta. — Many Davenport Center friends extend congratulations to Mr. and Mrs. Charles Wright, who were united in marriage Thursday.

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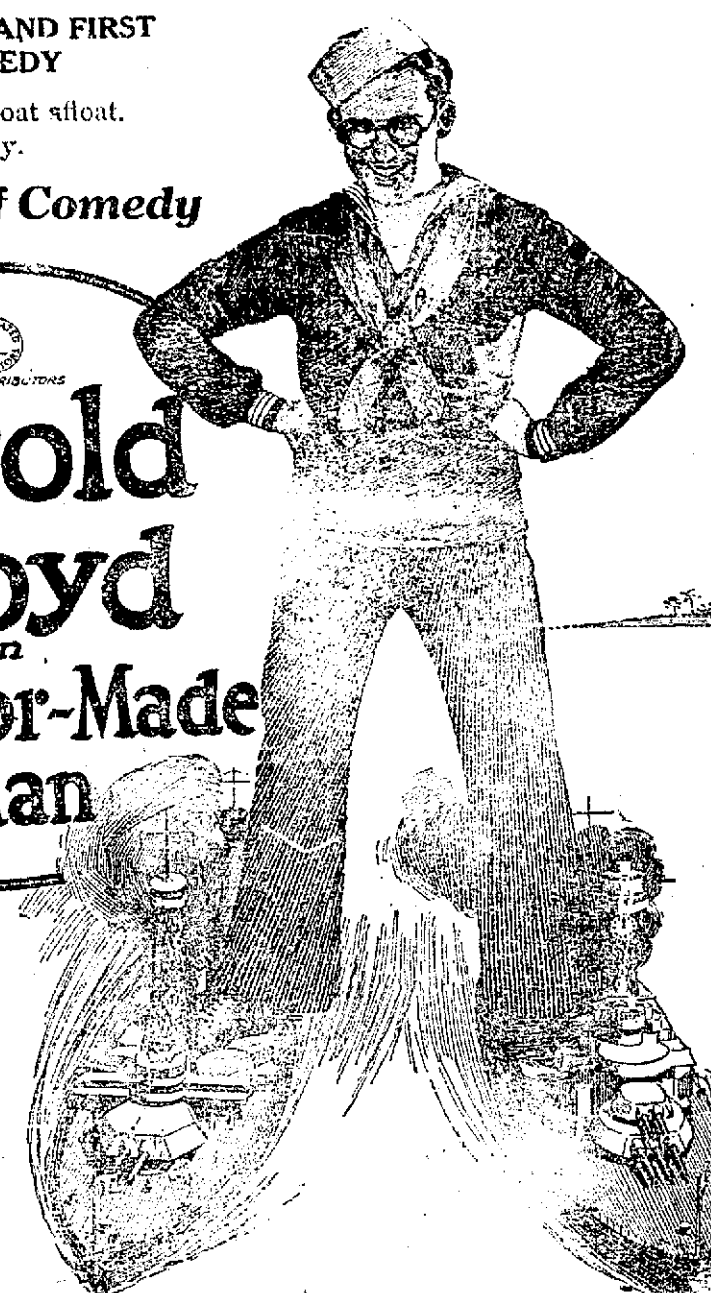
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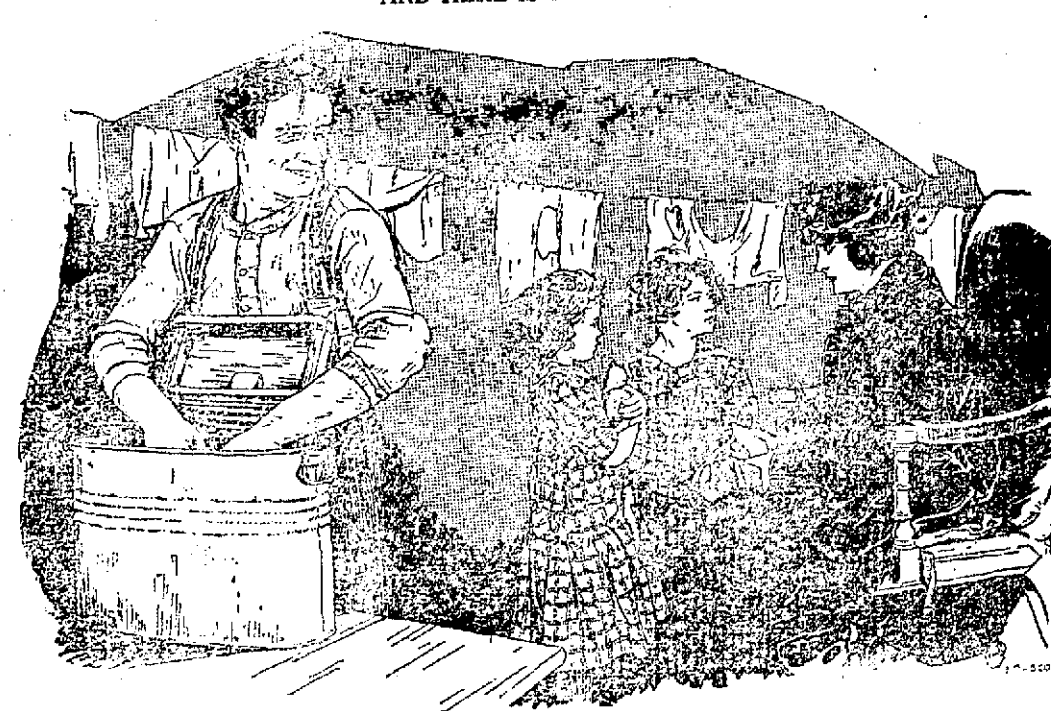
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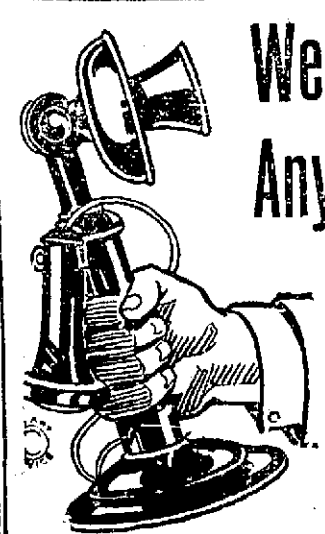
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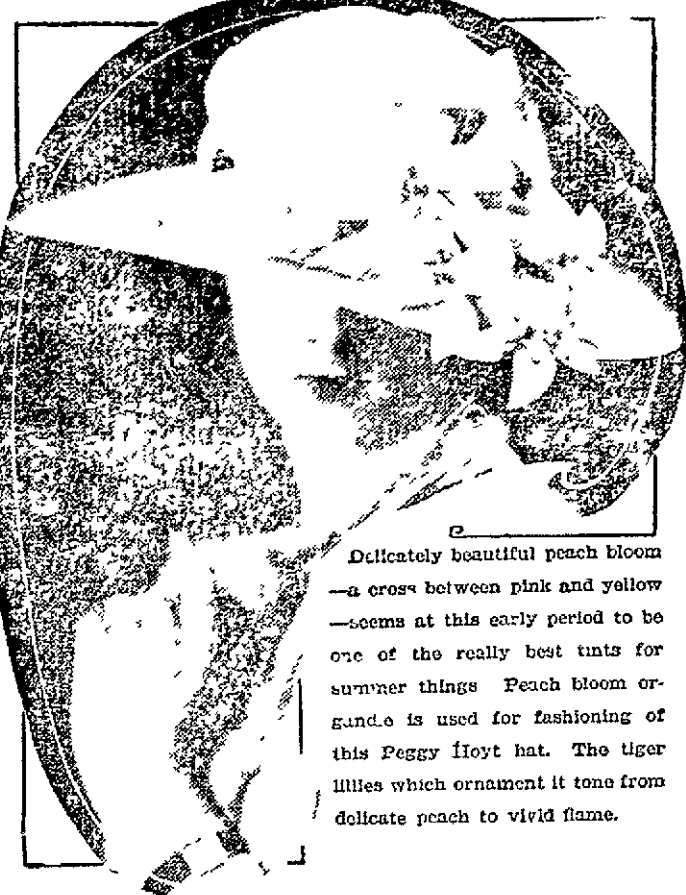
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Peach Bloom for Hats



Delicately beautiful peach bloom—a cross between pink and yellow—seems at this early period to be one of the really best tints for summer things. Peach bloom orange is used for fashioning of this Peggy Hoyt hat. The Uger lilies which ornament it tone from delicate peach to vivid flame.

DEATH OF MRS. S. A. SHEPHERD

Estimable Woman, Wife of Well Known Resident of Lower Chestnut Street, Passes Away at Family Home Sunday Afternoon After a Long Illness

Lucy E. Shepherd, long a respected resident of Lower Chestnut street, passed away at the family home Sunday afternoon at 1:20 o'clock after an illness of nine years duration. Originally stricken with Bright's disease a serious heart affection developed and she had been failing for years. Since Thanksgiving she has been confined to her bed and her death was not unexpected. The funeral arrangements await the arrival of her son today for a definite announcement, although it is now expected that they will be held Tuesday afternoon.

Born at Jefferson, October 21, 1854, she removed with her parents, the late David Gallup and wife, from that place to Oneonta Plains when she was about 12 years of age. The deceased continued to reside there until her marriage to Mr. Shepherd in 1877 when they removed to Jefferson and occupied for five years the farm of her father in that town after which they returned to Oneonta and remained one year. Mr. Shepherd then purchased a farm in the town of Butterfield, near the Otsego town line in which they remained and occupied for about 22 years.

Having secured a competency they returned to Oneonta and bought the place where they now reside. The realty developments in the vicinity resulting in the sale comparatively recently of most of the land connected with the farm.

Mrs. Shepherd had been a professed Christian since a young woman and since the establishment of the Lin Park church in the vicinity of her home has been a faithful member of that society, though impaired health has prevented her being as active as she had formerly been in church work. She was conspicuously a home maker and not only in the family and the church circle will her loss be felt, but her demise will be regretted by the still larger one of neighbors and friends.

Surviving her are the husband, one son David Gallup of Stamford, Conn., two grandchildren, Stanley and Mildred Shepherd and two sisters, Mrs. Leroy E. Paul of Valleyview street and Mrs. May B. Sher of Reynolds avenue this city, all of whom will have the deepest sympathy of a wide circle of friends.

Death of Charles W. Peck. Charles W. Peck, a native and respected life-long resident of Oneonta died Sunday morning at the Fox Memorial hospital in this city. He had been ill for a considerable time and two weeks ago underwent an operation at the hospital. The funeral services, which will be private, will be held at his home in 21 1/2 street at 1:30 p. m. on Tuesday. Friends may view the remains Monday afternoon and evening.

Mr. Peck was born in Maryland August 5, 1870 and was formerly a member of the Delaware in Hudson system. He returned to this city about a year ago. He later engaged in the manufacture of cigars in which he continued to his death. He is survived by two daughters, Mrs. L. J. Odell and Mrs. L. J. Odell, both of this city, to whom a brief eulogy will be read at the funeral.

The Sweet practical funeral services will be held at the Fox Memorial hospital at 1:30 p. m. on Tuesday.

SOUTH SIDE MEN INJURED

Widow McDonald Has Painful Back as Result of Fall, Lined Whipples Hand Ripped Open by Rusty Nail

Two South Side men were injured over the week-end but it is thought neither will suffer permanent injuries. While adjusting the milking machine in his barn Sunday morning Alfred McDonald slipped on the smooth cement floor and fell on his back. A physician's examination revealed that he had suffered a severe bruise. Mr. McDonald was confined to bed throughout the day and his back pained him severely. It is not thought the injury consists of more than a bruised back but it will be several days before it is definitely known whether or not his spine is affected.

John Whipple suffered a painful injury on Friday. While busy at carpenter work about his place, which he recently purchased he caught his left hand on a nail protruding from an old board and tore an ugly gash in the fleshy part of the hand. The injured man was taken to Dr. Mills' office where several stitches were required to close the wound. It is believed that the prompt attention given the injury will prevent infection, although it was a rusty nail.

On Trail of the Fox.

A party of eight Oneonta men enjoyed a fox hunt on the hills back of South Side last week and were fortunate in securing two beautiful animals. The luck hunters were Edward House, a clerk at the Oneonta Department store, and Charles Griffin of South Side. This makes the third fox caught by members of the House family. It is a great sport and is becoming more and more popular on South Side.

South Side Personal Mention.

Mrs. Carl Bender, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Bender and Mr. and Mrs. Fred Bender, all of Treadwell were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Peter Hartman.

Mr. and Mrs. James Easton of Elmira have been guests for the past few days of Mr. and Mrs. L. J. Odell.

Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Worden have been visiting relatives in Andes for a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. Leland J. Coe and daughter, both of Otsego were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Whipple.

Mrs. John Polk and Miss Jennie Polk have been confined to their home during the week with colds.

Mrs. Eleanor Miller of West Oneonta is the guest for a few days of Mrs. Wilson Coe.

G. L. Wheelock who has been ill for several weeks is on the gain.

Roy McDonald son of Alfred McDonald is making slow progress with his broken arm. X-ray examinations reveal that the bone has healed nicely but the other is causing some trouble. It is believed that a week or so will see a marked improvement.

Helen Webb who has been ill for some time is reported to be much improved.

Word of Thanks.

I wish to express my many thanks to the friends who so kindly and generously assisted me in my illness.

Mrs. L. J. Odell
West Oneonta, N. Y.

Him and I

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Mr. and Mrs. L. J. Odell

Personal

Mr. and Mrs. Stephen Andrews and son of 6 River street spent Sunday with relatives in Milford.

Mrs. Lora Valling of 2 Third street is a guest for the week of relatives and friends in Sidney.

James Koken of Randolph left Tuesday evening for a few days business trip to New York city.

Mrs. A. G. Dutton and children of this city were guests yesterday of friends in Plinghanton.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Moore spent the week-end at Herkimer with their daughter Mrs. Amos LaFleur.

Ed J. Breece left yesterday afternoon on a business trip to New York city and Poughkeepsie.

Mrs. V. H. J. of Summit is spending a few days with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. D. Hand, 53 Main street.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Lstabrook of 29 Ivy court were guests over Sunday of their niece Mrs. Everett McLaurie of Alton.

Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Russell left Sunday for Albany to attend the funeral of the latter's brother, John J. Cummings.

Miss Lavinia Tice of Cherry Valley spent the week-end with her aunt Mrs. William Olin Maple street returned home Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. George Huthorne, St. Albans Sunday to attend the funeral of Mrs. Harshorne's niece, John J. Cummings.

Mr. and Mrs. Warren Pruett of Sidney who had been visiting Mr. and Mrs. S. J. Viemann Ford avenue, returned home Sunday morning.

Mrs. Leslie Finch and Mrs. William Finch of Schenectady were guests for a few days of Mrs. W. L. Morrison, 119 Elm street returning home Sunday.

W. D. Fleming station agent for the Southern New York company, in Oneonta was a guest yesterday of his son-in-law and daughter, Dr. and Mrs. J. W. Ford in Otsego.

H. W. Sheldon of the Main street shoe and exchange stables left yesterday for Buffalo, where he will purchase a car of horses. He expects to return with the horses today.

Attorney and Mrs. Owen C. Becker were in Albany Saturday and Sunday visiting their daughter, Miss Eleanor Becker who is a student at the Albany female college. Mr. Becker also transacted legal business while in the capital city.

Mr. and Mrs. Lynn Breece spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Whitbeck at Cooperstown and on Sunday the four motored to Springfield Center where they spent the day with Mrs. Breece's parents Mr. and Mrs. Luke White.

Fred C. Ward of Great Neck Station, L. I. who has for a few days been a guest at the home of W. E. Hickok in this city and incidentally this morning for home, stopping en route for a brief sojourn in Walton.

J. J. Turner, his many friends learn with regret is quite ill at the residence of former Senator Walter L. Brown, suffering with colds of the throat. His condition, which was quite serious on Friday, has been less alarming since, and his many friends are hoping for his early recovery.

A. D. Pindar and grandson Percy Pindar of Harrisburg, Pa., who have been visiting at the homes of Mr. and Mrs. Merton Forman and Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Rathbun at West Davenport also G. W. Gilchrist and family Schenectady passed through this city on Saturday for their home in Harrisburg.

Steele Harrington who had been spending a few days with his parents Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Harrington of this city returned Sunday to the Hotchkiss school at Lakeview, Conn. Miss Julia Harrington, instructor in the school at this high school is also at the home of her parents for the Lincoln birthday holiday.

W. K. Crosby and son Robert, Miss Deborah Morse, Miss Ernestine Scudder and Morton Scudder of Halcott center, Greene county, were in Oneonta yesterday morning on their way to Otsego where they will attend the four week conference to be held commencing today at the College of Agriculture.

Mrs. Sophia Smith and Miss Ida Housh of Edinburgh who were confined to Oneonta by the serious illness of their sister, Miss Cora Ireland of West Main street, who underwent a surgical operation Saturday at the Fox Memorial hospital, returned home yesterday. At latest reports the condition of Miss Ireland was very favorable.

Arthur Lind, editor of the Albany Evening Journal, who is in Oneonta on a short call, though Mr. Lind is probably the senior in his work along the Susquehanna division of the D. & H. R. R. and it is always a pleasure to see either the editor or his paper.

Leaving for California

Hon. Charles Smith president of the Citizens National bank and Mrs. Smith leave Oneonta today for New York city and on Thursday will sail from that port aboard the South American for a vacation in Europe.

Mr. and Mrs. Smith will be in California about May 1.

The return trip will be by rail, via the Grand Canyon and other points including a visit to New Orleans. Many friends will extend hearty wishes for a pleasant trip and a safe return to the home city.

Birthday Party for Vivian Odell

Twenty of the young friends of Vivian Odell were pleasantly entertained at the home of her parents Mr. and Mrs. Howard Odell, Ford avenue, Sunday afternoon. The occasion being the ninth birthday of the young girl. Games were played and refreshments served before their departing guests presented their youthful hostess with many appropriate gifts. Each one accompanied by the wish that she may enjoy many more happy birthdays.

Word of Thanks

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DEATH AT COLLIERIES.

Mrs. Elizabeth Mallette Expires After Fight With Illness.

Colliers, Feb. 12.—Mrs. Elizabeth Mallette, wife of the late William Mallette, died at 11 p. m. on Saturday at the home of her daughter Mrs. Gilbert Uter, of this place. She had been ill for about eight weeks, the immediate cause of death being heart disease. The funeral will be held at 1 p. m. and interment will be in the family plot in the creek.

Mrs. Mallette was a native of Kendall Eng and came in early life to this country. She was twice married, her first husband being Cornelius Cox of Cooperstown. Following his death she was united in marriage to Mr. Mallette, and came twenty or more years ago to Colliers.

Conducting a home life until his death some six or seven years ago, since his demise she had resided with Mrs. Uter where she had been tenderly cared for. She was a member of the Protestant Episcopal church and of the Women's Relief corps of Oneonta. She was very actively interested in the work of the corps and the meetings of the corps held practically each Sunday with her have always been a source of genuine delight to the membership.

The surviving members of the family are two sons, W. C. Cox of Oneonta and J. H. Cox of Colliers, and two daughters, Mrs. Gilbert Uter of this place and Mrs. D. E. Jenkins of Oneonta. The sympathy of many friends will be extended to the family in its bereavement.

Recreation Club Dance at High school tonight. Instruction for beginners from 8 to 8:45 by John Canning. Dancing 8:45 to 11. Synopses' orchestra. Admission, 20 cents a person. Advt m it

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Death in Westford

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EUROPE-ASIA-AFRICA.

Oneonta Party Sails Tomorrow on Transcontinental Trip

Many friends of Mr. and Mrs. Alva Sebolt and Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Eggleston and daughter, Edith, were at the union station in this city yesterday to bid farewell to the above-named Oneontans, who were leaving for New York city, whence they sail tomorrow on the S. S. George Washington on a trip whose interesting itinerary includes a visit to many of the most important points in Europe, Asia and Africa.

The itinerary as announced by the P. & O. White Star company, under whose supervision the trip is made, includes stops en route in the Azores, Madeira and at Cadix, with trips to Granada and the Alhambra. Other stopping points will be at Gibraltar and Algiers. Naples with visits to Pompeii and Capri and a trip to Rome. Athens the Dardanelles, Constantinople and the Holy Land and Egypt will in turn be visited, the latter as far south as the first canal and not to forget the new countries, Caltaro in Jugoslavia on the home ward journey. A day in Sicily is followed by a five days sea trip through the Mediterranean and Bay of Biscay to Cherbourg. From the latter point they visit Paris and the battlefields of France and spend a day or two in London before sailing from Southampton for New York, where they expect to arrive April 20 after a two and a half months' travel with visits to places of scenic and historic interest.

In addition to the five from Oneonta, Miss S. Emma Jordan and her two daughters, Mrs. Truman Moon and Miss Antonette Jordan of Madison, with Miss F. H. McKinnon of Sidney, are of the party.

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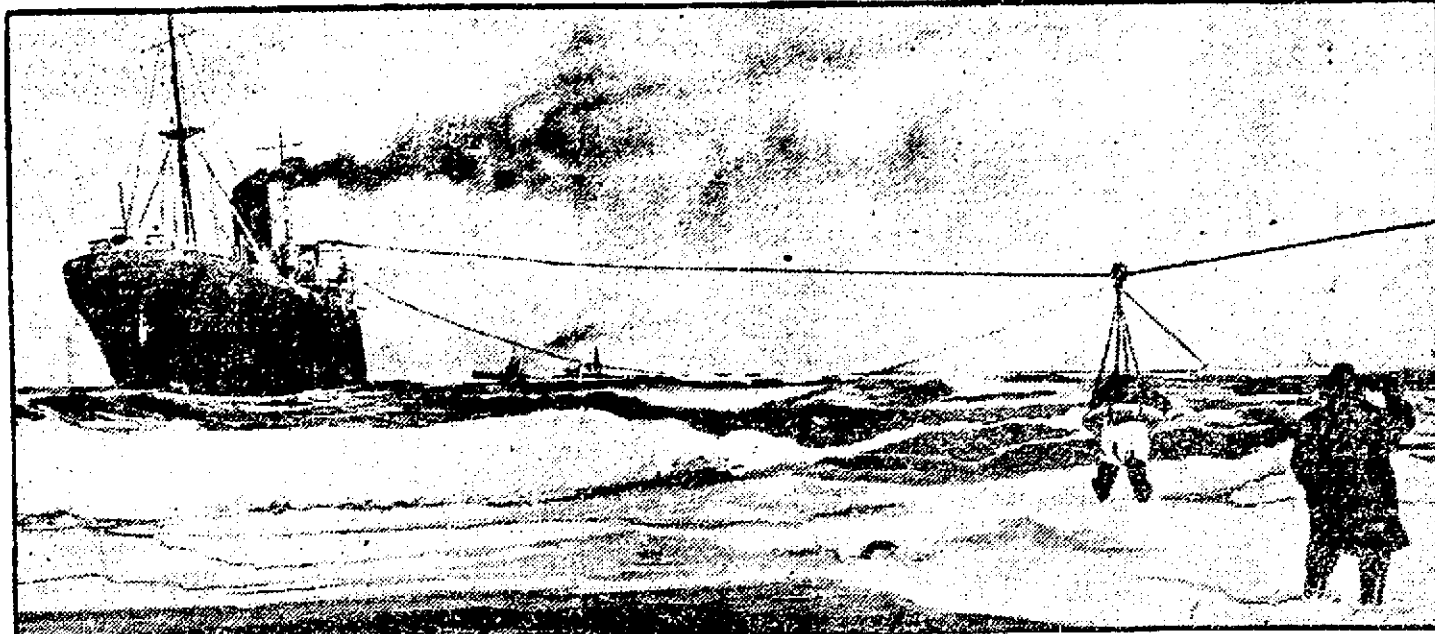
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Sailors Rescued From Stranded Ship by Breeches Buoy



The cameraman was right on the job when the crew of the Thistlemore was rescued after the British freighter went aground off Cape Cod and was threatened with destruction. Coast guards shot a line across the bow of the boat and the breeches buoy was rigged up. The crew rode to shore, one by one, by means of the trolley-like arrangement shown above.

SCHOOL PLAY MAY TOUR

Clifford and Schenck Ask That "Clarence" Be Given There After Presentation in Oneonta March 9 and 10.

The dates for the presentation of the annual high school play, which will be Booth Tarkington's "Clarence," this year, have been tentatively named as March 9 and 10. Very enthusiastic rehearsals are being held and everything indicates that the famous comedy will be most successfully rendered.

Letters have been received from Clifford and Schenck asking that the play be presented there and it is probable that a trip will be made to one, or both, of those towns after the performances here.

Post Card Shower.

Clifford Rowland, who has been very sick at the home of his grandparents, recently received a fine postcard shower from his many friends in Oneonta.

"Refreshing beyond measure" that's what a lot of people say who drink a hot cup of fragrant Oneonta Coffee when they are fatigued. You ought to try it. advt. 1w.

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Three Injured While Coasting.

Leonardsville, Feb. 12.—Three persons were painfully injured in a coasting accident here Wednesday night. Madeline Kenyon, graduate of Syracuse university, had a knee cap crushed and an ankle broken and L. A. Babcock, owner of the Babcock Manufacturing company, had his right arm broken when he lost control of the big bob sled they were riding. They crashed into a cement fence post.

Thorothy Stark of Oneida, stenographer for State Senator Brown, was also on the sled but her injuries were confined to a broken finger, a sprained wrist and several bruises. Mr. and Mrs. Charles Mason, who were on the rear of the bobs, were not hurt. They slid off into the snow.

Missionary Entertainment Friday.

Preparations are progressing for the Missionary entertainment given in the River Street Baptist church on Friday evening of this week at 7:59 o'clock. The public is cordially invited to attend. An offering will be taken for Missionary work.

Move in Today.

A complete home at West End, nearly new, improvements, large lot, price \$3,400. Terms, Don't delay. R. M. Collier, real estate, city. Phone 599-J. advt. 2t.

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Recreation club dance at High school tonight. Instruction for beginners from 8 to 8:45 by John Canning. Dancing 8:45 to 11. Syncopeaters orchestra. Admission, 25 cents a person. advt. m-tf.

HERKIMER POST PLANTS TREES

Feasible Plans Mapped for Memorial Forest as Permanent Source of Benefit and Revenue — Suggestive Scheme for Otsego and Other Counties.

What is probably the most unique project ever undertaken by any post of the American Legion will be carried out this spring by the members of Herkimer post, No. 38, in accordance with action taken at the regular meeting held February 9, when a motion was adopted by which the post enters upon a reforestation project which will eventually embrace several thousand acres of unused land in the northern part of Herkimer county. In this way will be created a magnificent memorial to the men who served in the World war. Credit for this movement is largely due to the efforts of the Herkimer County Farm bureau through its local promoter, J. J. Regan, who is an ardent enthusiast for the reclamation idea and its ultimate benefit to the people of Herkimer county. In anticipation of this action on the part of the legion, Daniel F. Strobel and John M. Richard of Herkimer have already promised available plots for this purpose and several other tentative offers have already been brought to the attention of the committee and it is hoped that before the spring opens up considerable unused land will be turned over to the legion for planting purposes.

According to the tentative plans mapped out, the main object of this "Memorial Forest" will be to make available a permanent source of revenue at a time most needed, for the relief of sick and disabled or aged veterans and their families so long as the legion is in existence. It is also planned to set aside a special plot of the revenue from which will be used in aiding tubercular cases among the ex-service men of Herkimer county, thereby guaranteeing in the future the many comforts so vitally necessary in such cases even among those unfortunate "Buddies" at Pine Crest. Some members of the committee appointed to draw up the plans have returned the prediction that after the local post has passed out of existence the forest may be turned over to the municipality or township as a perpetual memorial for the relief of community poverty and sickness. The Herkimer post aims to plant eventually at least 5,000 acres and thus reclaim a large portion of lands in the northern section of the county that have no value whatever at present. Two hundred thousand trees have already been set aside by the State Forestry department to aid in this work and this is sufficient to plant 200 acres this spring.

The plan is one which might well be adopted in other counties, among them Otsego, which has much land which might be in similar fashion reforested. At any rate it will have its appeal as an undertaking whereby not only is the soldier of the World war given proper memorial but which will afford in years to come a benefit of substantial form according to posterity. To those who in France and Belgium have seen the forest growth of centuries ruthlessly destroyed, this plan to plant new woodlands in our own land will have peculiar significance.

\$500 First payment buys a seven room house, lot 62x200, shop and greenhouse, central location. Price \$2600, or a seven room bungalow, all improvements, oak finish, \$1200. Several others. A. C. Lewis, 313 Main street. advt. 6t.

Fine job printing at the Herald office.

WEST END NEWS NOTES

Harvey Baker of 371 Chestnut street has been spending a few days in Maryland on business errands.

Mrs. Z. Cole is confined to the family home at 141 River street suffering with a severe attack of grip. Mr. Cole has recovered from a similar illness.

A number of the young friends of Miss Lina M. Lull helped her celebrate her birthday Thursday evening. The evening was pleasantly passed with games and music, and later delicious refreshments were served.

Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Edmunds of 145 River street have been entertaining the grip the past week, but are making good recoveries.

Stephen Leonard of 300 Chestnut street is recovering from an attack of grip.

Mrs. George Fowlston, who recently underwent a serious operation at the Fox Memorial hospital, is steadily improving at her home at the Junction.

Andrew Schuman of Roxbury was the guest this week of his brother, Louis Schuman, Jackson avenue. From here he went to Rome, where he will undergo an operation for appendicitis.

Mrs. John Rose, who has been seriously ill at her home, 259 Chestnut street, is improving.

Gabrick Will Serve Jail Sentence.

J. J. Gabrick, convicted of assault in the third degree by a jury in city court Monday, was taken to Cooperstown yesterday by officer Simmons to begin the sentence of 30 days in the county jail imposed by Judge Huntington, but suspended upon condition that Gabrick pay the \$25 fine which was also imposed. Gabrick was unable to raise the money, hence his trip to the shores of the Glimeeghass yesterday.

Binghamton Normal Alumni to Meet. Announcement has been made that the Oneonta Normal school alumni of the Binghamton district will hold a reunion meeting and banquet at the Hotel Bennett on February 26. There are about 100 graduates of the Normal residing in that vicinity. It is expected that several members of the faculty will attend the gathering.

Fred J. Joyce, of the Joyce stores, Unadilla, N. Y., has made his spring trip to New York and has secured the agency for the famous Whitall Wilton rug. This is the only Whitall agency outside of cities in the state of New York. He also purchased a splendid line of axminster and tapestry rugs and can now show you one of the finest assortments of rugs that can be seen in this part of the state. advt. m-w-f.

Ladies, Attention.

The new spring and summer line of woollens and silks is now on display. It contains the very latest pongee, Highland Tweeds, krepe knit, etc., in all leading shades, which we make up into suits, coats and sport skirts to the latest fashion. Chas. Swoboda, 150 Main street. advt. 6t.

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This sum will cover the whole cost, with current turned on.

Details in Star Wednesday, Feb. 15.

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